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HOUSE RESOLUTION 62

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A RESOLUTION to honor Anne Stowers on the occasion of her retirement.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should recognize those who in their years of work have performed with extraordinary dedication and unprecedented devotion; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Anne Stowers is one such outstanding person who has served with alacrity and acuity for over 28 years with the Obion County Public Library; and

WHEREAS, she received her Bachelor of Science in Education from the University of Georgia, Athens in 1957; and

WHEREAS, she then furthered her studies by obtaining her Master of Library Science from Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia in 1962; and

WHEREAS, for 12 years, she was a school librarian for the Atlanta Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, during her illustrious tenure with Obion County, Mrs. Stowers was able to enjoy the new automated book check-in system; and

WHEREAS, she sent the library's budget and book circulation soaring to new all-time high; and

WHEREAS, she is an active and devout member of the Pleasant Valley Methodist Church in Union City; and

WHEREAS, she is most appreciative of the love and support she receives from her husband, Joel L. Stowers; and

WHEREAS, Anne Stowers exemplifies the spirit and dedication that is characteristic of a great Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, Anne Stowers' adroit qualities include the uncommon ability to motivate others to fully realize their potential, perhaps the most valuable of all skills; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we extend to Mrs. Anne Stowers our best wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.